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The Postal Service has informed us of a decision to close our Post Office here in Ulman, MO. This action is being taken after meeting the provisions of the Postal Reorganization Act of 1970, and over our protestations.

We, the customers of the Ulman Post Office, rigorously protest this action, in view of the provision in the Postal Reorganization Act that calls for the Postal Service to provide a maximum degree of effective and regular postal service to rural areas, communities and small towns where the post office is not self-sustaining.

The Postal Service's decision to consolidate our post office with the Brumley Post Office is being done over our objections. We will no longer have a postmaster to whom we can take our problems, complaints and compliments. We will be directed to a distant postmaster; we will have to drive about 7 miles one way to this office to do our postal business. Their hours of service are not conducive to the needs of our community.

If we have to rely on rural delivery, we see inconveniences in purchasing stamps, money orders, etc. We will have to know the exact time of the delivery to our box and have the exact amount of money. If we have to make an application for said services, we will be leaving cash in our boxes and that is not acceptable. There is also a concern for receipt of accountable mail, such as certified letters, registered letters and COD.s. During the winter, snow removal from the boxes is a concern for much of our community; we have several older patrons for which this would be a big problem.

It was stated that this closing would save the Postal Service several thousand dollars(Postmaster's salary, rental, etc.) This is not entirely true, somebody will have to be paid for the additional workload of delivery to the entire community the rental and other expenses were miniscule to the overall budget of the post office. It was also stated that the current building was heated by space heaters and this is false! There is a propane wall furnace that has sufficiently heated this building for the past fifty years.

We cannot see any major savings to the Postal Service for the consolidation. As citizens of the United States, we are entitled to the same efficient postal service provided to our counterparts in urban areas. The Postal Reorganization Act is explicit in pointing this out. We petition you,

as members of the Postal Regulatory Commission, to respectfully consider our protest and order the Postal Service to give additional consideration to our service needs.

Respectfully,

Buster McGowan
Myna McGowan

We are signing on behalf of the patrons listed on the enclosed petition, who object to the closure.

Ulman Post Office Petition

	Date	Name	Phone Number	Address
1	4/8/11	Peggy Myers		16
2	4/8/11	Jason Keeth		
3	4/9/11	Dusty Myers		
4	4/9/11	Christina Sprigg		
5	4/11/11	Doug Sprigg		
6	4/11/11	John D. Myers		
7	4/11/11	Alina Sprigg		
8	4/11/11	Diana Sprigg		
9	4/11/11	Dana Sprigg		
10	4/12/11	Jo Kuf		
11	4/11/11	CINDY BOX		
12	4/12/11	John Sprigg		
13	4/12/11	Dee Sprigg		
14	4/12/11	Freddie Sprigg		
15	4/12/11	Brian Sprigg		
16	4-12-11	Chin Peterson		
17	4-12-11	Ronnie Peterson		
18	4-12-11	DENNIS PATTERSON		
19	4-12-11	Jana Parkey		
20	4-12	Garrelle Parkey		
21	4-12	Mark Parkey		
22	4-12	Debra Parkey		
23	4-12	Randy Parkey		
24	4-12	Scott Parkey		
25	4-12	Mick Kiser		
26	4/12	Quincy Kiser		
27	4/12	Heidi Kiser		
28	4/12	Robert Kiser		
29	4/12	David Thompson		
30	4/12	Chris Kiser		
31	4/12	Thomas R. Kiser		
32	4/12	Rich Kiser		
33	4/12	Penny Kiser		
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1	4-8-11	Ben Luperdus		
2	4/10/11	Jim Alioksaite		
3	4/10-11	Mildred Alioksaite		
4	4/10/11	Dandy Alioksaite		
5	4/10/11	Don Robinson		
6	4/10/11	Daniel W. Luper		
7	4/10/11	Mary Graham		
8	4-10-11	Bruce Riley		
9	4-10-11	Diane Kay Graham		
10	4/10/11	Maith Graham		
11	4-10-11	Diane Riley		
12	4-10-11	Sheila Plimmans		
13	4-13-11	Ruth & Shipp		
14	4-13-11	Shirley Shipp		
15	4-13-11	Donita Luperdus		
16	4-13-11	Theresa Patterson		
17	4-13-11	Debra Patterson		
18	4-13-11	Gudy Patterson		
19	4-13-11			
20	4-13-11	W. V. Poff		
21	4-13-11	Maura Patterson		
22	4/13/11	Roseanna S. Malcolm		
23	4/13/11	Alfred Hernandez		
24	4-13-11	Paul Patterson		
25	4-13-11	James Patterson		
26	4-13-11	Marshall Humphrey		
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1	4/8/11	Kenneth Carico		
2	4/8/11	Marilyn Carico		
3	4-10-11	Darin Carico		
4	4-10-11	Melissa Carico		
5	4-10-11	EARL JOHNSON		
6	4-10-11	PATTI JOHNSON		
7	4-10-11	MINNIE JOHNSON		
8	4-10-11	RICK JOHNSON		
9	4-10-11	Laura Patterson		
10	4-10-11	Daniel Patterson		
11	4/10/11	William Libral		
12	4-10-11	DARIN HILTON		
13	4-11-11	Dorward Rodgers		
14	4-11-11	Janet Rodgers		
15	4-11-11	Katie Smith		
16	4/11/12	SAW-WORTHY		
17	4/11/11	Deane Dudley		
18	4/11/11	Clare Dudley		
19	4/11/11	Deane Dudley		
20	4/11/11	D. P. Hays		
21	4/11/11	Brenda Haley		
22	4/11/11	Belk Hays		
23	4/11/11	Erin Patterson		
24	4/11/11	Dona Patterson		
25	4-11-11	Kenny Patterson		
26	4-11-11	John Patten		
27	4-11-11	Jimmy Patterson		
28	4/11/11	Lauren Cole		
29	4-11-11	Ray Bennett		
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31	4-11-11	Jean Patterson		
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1	4-8-11	Buster McGowan		
2	4-8-11	Melba McGowan		
3	4-10-	Mike Gatterer		
4	4-10-11	Ray Salassa Salassa		
5	4-10-11	Butt Salassa		
6	4-10-11	Andrea McGowan		
7	4-10-11	Beck Shipp		
8	4-10-11	Don Shipp		
9	4-10-11	Angela Shipp		
10	4-10-11	Liff Campbell Wickham		
11	4-10-11	Don Wickham		
12	4-10-11	Sub Shipp		
13	4-10-11	Dennis Wickham		
14	4-10-11	Donna K. Foster		
15	4-10-11	Charles O. Foster		
16	4-10-11	Sam Edwards		
17	4-10-11	Wilma Edwards		
18	4-10-11	Sheldon McGowan		
up. 19	4-10-11	Crystal Munoz		
20	4-11-11	Debra Crawford		
21	4-11-11	Roger Fischer		
22	4-12-11	Patricia Ash		
23	4-12-11	Jack W. Ash		
24	4-12-11	Beverly D. Ash		
25	4-12-11	Klausen Koss		
26	4-12-11	Marissa Kessler		
27	4-12-11	Rachel McDowell		
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1	4-13-11	DONALD D. PATTERSON		
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3	4-13-11	Morgan L. Keith		
4	4-13-11	Jonah Massie		
5	4-13-11	Rick Massie		
6	4-13-11	Joy Thomas		
7	4-13-11	Ralph Thomas		
8	4-13-11	Gretchen Hawk		
9	4-13-11	Erin Jean M. Lower		
10	4-13-11	Sam B. P.		
11	4-13-11	Crystal Munoz		
12	4-13-11	MARCOS RUSSELL		
13	4-13-11	Mary Russell		
14	4-13-11	Seremy Lucas		
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